

**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC  
WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

## THIS SPACE FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

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Returned to applicant for correction \_\_\_\_\_

Corrected application filed \_\_\_\_\_ Map filed SEP 05 2008The applicant Pinson Mining Company Attn: John C. Porterfield, Project ManagerHC 66, Box 2 of Golconda  
Street Address Or P.O. Box City or TownNevada 89414-9602 hereby make(s) application for permission to appropriate  
State and Zip code No.

the public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated. (If applicant is a corporation, give date and place of incorporation; if a copartnership or association give names of members.)

Pinson Mining Company, a Nevada General Partnership whose partners are:Homestake Mining Company of California, a California corporationBarrick Holding Co., a California corporation

1. The source of water is Underground  
Name of stream, lake, underground, spring or other sources
2. The amount of water applied for is 10.00 cfs second feet.  
One second foot equals 448.83 gallons per minute.
  - (a) If stored in reservoir give number of acre-feet \_\_\_\_\_
3. The water to be used for Mining, Milling, & Dewatering  
Irrigation, power, mining, commercial, domestic or other use. Must limit to one major use.
4. If use is for:
  - (a) Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated \_\_\_\_\_
  - (b) Stockwater, state number and kind of animals \_\_\_\_\_
  - (c) Other use (describe fully in No. 12) \_\_\_\_\_
  - (d) Power:
    - (1) Horsepower developed \_\_\_\_\_
    - (2) Point of return of water to stream \_\_\_\_\_

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5. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point: (Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey, and by course and distance to a found section corner. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated.)

NW1/4 SW1/4 of Section 33, T.38 N., R.42 E., M.D.B. & M., at a point from which the  
East 1/4 corner of said Section 33 bears N 72° 50' 26" E. 4287.75 feet.

6. Place of use (Describe by legal subdivision. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated)

All of Sections 27 and 28, SE1/4 of Section 29, All of Sections 32 and 33, N1/2 N1/2 of  
Section 34, NW1/4 NW1/4 of Section 35, all in T.38 N., R.42 E., M.D.B. & M., NW1/4 NW1/4  
of Section 4, N1/2 of Section 5, all in T.37 N., R.42 E., M.D.B. & M.

7. Use will begin about January 1 and end about December 31 of each year.  
Month and Day Month and Day

8. Description of proposed works (Under the provisions of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and specifications of your diversion or storage works.) (State manner in which water is to be diverted, i.e. diversion structure, ditches and flumes, drilled well with pump and motor, etc.)

Drilled well, pump, motor, totalizing meter, pipelines & storage ponds

9. Estimated cost of works: ± \$50,000

10. Estimated time required to construct works: 3 years

If well completed, describe works.

11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use 5 years

12. Provide a detailed description of the proposed project and its water usage (use attachments if necessary):  
(Failure to provide a detailed description may cause a delay in processing.)

This application is for a new "160 acre" block permit under the provisions of and pursuant to  
State Engineers Order 1087 adopting rules for well spacing and modifications of regulations  
for water well and related drilling in the Northern portion of the Kelley Creek Ground Water  
Basin (4-66). The new block area encompasses the SW1/4 of Section 33, T.38 N., R.42 E.,  
M.D.B. & M. The annual consumptive use will be 2,359,050,480 gallons

13. Miscellaneous remarks:

In addition to the applicant and the agent, please send copies of all correspondence  
pertaining to this application to:  
Barrick Goldstrike Mines Inc.  
Attn: Bill Listerud  
P.O. Box 29  
Elko, NV 89803

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(775) 738-4053  
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APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED  
BY THE APPLICANT OR AGENT

By Robert E. Morley  
Type or print name clearly  
Robert E. Morley  
Signature, applicant or agent  
High Desert Engineering, LLC  
Company Name  
640 Idaho Street  
Street Address or P.O. Box  
Elko, Nevada 89801  
City, State, Zip Code

\$250 FILING FEE AND SUPPORTING MAP MUST ACCOMPANY APPLICATION